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	Normal.	Current.
Prices of food grains—Rice	... 10 to 11.	8 to 8½.
Ragi	... 25 to 30.	25 to 30.

The state of standing crops fair.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder sufficient.

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8. The market was not well supplied on account of heavy rains. Hence the price increased. But the stock on hand was sufficient to meet the demand.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. The recent heavy rains during the week have damaged the ragi crops. Groundnut is being harvested in some parts of the Bangalore Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season fair.

11. Public health generally good except in parts of Devanhalli and Kankanhalli Taluks where fever prevails.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder abundant.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. The heavy rainfall during the week is reported to have damaged the standing dry crops to some extent. Paddy in Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli are being sown. Ragi in Sidlaghatta and Bagepalli, samé in Srinivaspur and Gudibanda are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available. All the large tanks in the Palar series breached owing to the heavy rainfall during the week.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Tumkur and Gubbi; ragi and navane in Sira and Pavagada; jola in Gubbi and samé in Pavagada are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur and Gubbi and Bengal gram in Turuvekere are being sown. Dry crops were damaged to a small extent by excessive rain in some parts. There is now however a break in the weather.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be ample.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, ragi, jola, horse gram, black and green grams, Bengal gram, togare, ballar, castor, chillies, coriander, cotton, hutchellu, halasandi, menthya, haraka, tobacco and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Ragi is being harvested in parts of the T. Narsipur and Malvalli Taluks. Ragi which is about to be harvested in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Gundlupet, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks, is reported to have been damaged by excess of rains.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good. Fever is reported to be still prevalent in parts of the Hunsur and Yedatore Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy, except in parts of the Krishnarajpete Taluk where they are reported to be still suffering from foot and mouth disease. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, paddy, dodda ragi, chillies, cow gram, samé, navane and togare, in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad; paddy and sugar-cane in Belur and Channarayapatna; ragi, paddy, cow gram, castor, chillies and kulthi in Arsikere; dodda ragi, paddy, kulthi, togare, cowgram and chillies in Hole-Narsipur; paddy and cereal crops in Arkalgud; and paddy and kulthi in Alur are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks abundant.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water sufficient.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied except in the Sagar Taluk.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane and navane are in good condition. Arecanut crop has been slightly damaged in Malnad Taluks on account of excessive rains. The harvesting of ragi is going on and that of paddy which had been put off owing to the rains is commenced.

10. Rainfall sufficient throughout the district. Food stocks abundant.

11. Ague prevails is Shimoga, Shikarpur and Tirthahalli Taluks.

12. Fodder and water abundant for cattle.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, paddy and sugar-cane in the Koppa Taluk; sugar-cane, togare and baliar in the Chikmagalur Taluk; ragi, ballar, chillies, togare and castor in the Kadur Taluk; and paddy in Mudgere and Sringeri are in good condition. Koleroga still continues in the Koppa Taluk. Bengal gram and jola in the Tarikere Taluk and Bengal gram in the Chikmagalur Taluk are being sown. Paddy and ragi in the Chikmagalur Taluk; paddy in Yedahalli and black gram in the Tarikere Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. In the Sivane hobli of the Tarikere Taluk, they are reported to be suffering from throat disease. Pasture and water sufficient.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition throughout the district. Ragi and jola in the Chitaldrug, Holalkere and Jagalur Taluks; ragi in the Davangere and Challakere Taluks; navane and samé in the Hosdurga Taluk and navane and jola in the Hiriyur Taluk are being harvested during the week under report. Bengal gram in the Hosdurga Taluk and white jola and Bengal gram in the Hiriyur Taluk are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in parts of the Hiriyur, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture and water sufficient.

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